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4 April 1953

MEMORANDUM FOR: DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

SUBJECT: Support for Special Operation: TPAJAX

1. Pursuant to our discussions of 2 April 1953, authorization is requested for the expenditure of funds up to [REDACTED] for the specific purpose agreed to, with the understanding that:

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a. The funds will not be committed until the intentions and capabilities of the instigator of the operation are established to the joint satisfaction of [REDACTED]

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b. Payments will be made in installments as events progress.

2. Exemption is requested from submitting a project or an administrative plan for this undertaking to the Project Review Committee.

3. This special operation obviously requires special security measures, and will be handled on "Eyes Alone" basis among those who need to know it. For this reason, usual accounting procedures cannot be rigidly adhered to, and it is therefore requested that written receipts from the recipients not be required.

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[REDACTED]
Chief
Division of Near East
and Africa

RECOMMEND APPROVAL:

signed 6 April 1953
FRANK G. WISNER, Deputy Director (Plans)

APPROVED:

signed 6 April 1953
ALLEN DULLES, Director of Central Intelligence

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